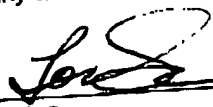


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Application No. 09/354,302	Filing Date July 16, 1999	Examiner A. Luu	Group Art Unit 2816		
Applicant(s): Christopher K. Morzano					
Invention: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR ADJUSTING CLOCK SKEW					
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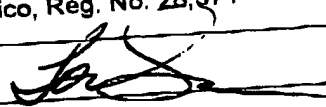
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115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
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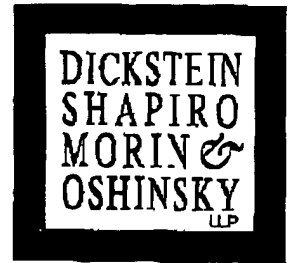
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For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 15, 2000 (Paper No. 4),
please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

In the Specification:

Page 9, line 7, insert -- In addition, the drivers 14, 15 may each have another
driver connected in series or drivers 14, 15 can be connected in parallel with a third driver.

In the Claims:

3. (Amended) The circuit of claim 2, wherein said enable circuit comprises:

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